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# RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO COMPLY WITH REQUIREMENTS FOR PATENT APPLICATIONS CONTAINING **NUCLEOTIDE AND/OR AMINO ACID SEQUENCES**

In response to the communication dated February 12, 2002 (copy enclosed), applicants submit herewith a substitute Sequence Listing in computer readable form as required by 37 CFR §1.825(d). In addition, applicant submits a Sequence Listing as required under 37 CFR §1.823(a) and a statement under 37 CFR §1.821(f).

I hereby state that this submission, filed in accordance with 37 CFR §1.821(g), does not contain new matter.

The paper copy of the sequence listing filed herewith is identical to the paper copy filed December 10, 2001 (the present Notice being sent because the computer readable form previously filed was damaged). Accordingly, the Preliminary Amendment filed on December 10, 2001, to insert the paper copy of the sequence listing into the application remains appropriate and no further amendment of the specification is required.

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## **VERIFIED STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.821(f)**

I, Maureen Ruttle, declare that I personally prepared the paper and the computer-readable copy of the Sequence Listing filed herewith for the above-identified application and that the content of both is the same.

I further declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of The United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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